

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:	)	
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	)	Art Unit: 2167
Application No: 10/749,851	)	
	)	Atty Docket No.: 6570.P017
Filed: December 30, 2003	)	
	)	Confirmation No.: 9437
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MANAGING	)	
MULTIPLE APPLICATION SERVER CLUSTERS	)	
USING A HIERARCHICAL DATA OBJECT AND	)	
A MULTI-PARAMETER REPRESENTATION	)	
<u>FOR EACH CONFIGURATION PROPERTY</u>	)	

**Mail Stop Amendment**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Office Action mailed April 30, 2008, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified patent application in light of the following.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

**Conclusion** begins on page of 12 this paper.

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